

Grade 1 DDSB@Home Curriculum Based Learning Activities

Parents/Guardians: These are some activities you can use at home, curated by our Grade 1 team, to help keep your student engaged and occupied. Students are NOT meant to do every single activity, but instead to pick and choose a few of their favourites! Students are not required to submit these activities to their homeroom teachers.

Math	- Look at your laundry. Can you find any patterns?  - Make a pattern with something you can find in your home. Can you draw it? Can you name the core?
Language	- Make a list of your morning routine. Ex. <u>Morning Routine</u> - Wake up. - Make bed. - Fold and cut a piece of paper into 26 squares. Print a letter of the alphabet on each square. Put different squares together to make words. What words can you make? - Go on a phonics hunt in your home. Find something that starts with each letter of the alphabet.
Science	Go for a nature walk - see how many different animals you can hear and see.
Social Studies	What would you like to be when you grow up? Can you draw a picture of the community helper and label their tools?
Health	Look through a grocery flyer. Cut out and glue items onto paper to create a healthy meal. Materials: Glue, scissors, grocery flyers, paper plate/paper.
Arts	Drama: It's not a box, it's a.... Find a box in your home. What can that box become? Role play what that box could be.

Music:

- Sing your favourite songs to a pet, stuffed animal, or into a mirror.
- Find something that you can use as an instrument. Look around for something to tap or pat. A table or an empty container will make a sound if you tap on them. Use your instrument to tap along as you sing the songs a second time.

Visual Arts:

- Create a piece of art using natural materials (i.e. sticks, rocks, pinecones), or loose parts (i.e. buttons, etc).
- **Art Attack** Your Challenge:



Create or recreate a piece of art using laundry!

Step 1- Decide what your picture is going to be. You can do a quick sketch if you are making it up, or find a picture of a piece of art if you are recreating it.

Step 2- Collect pieces of laundry in the colours that you need.

Step 3- Start to arrange the pieces to look like the art you want to create. Think about different ways you can roll, wrinkle, fold the clothes to make it into the shape you want.

Step 4- When you are happy with your art, take a picture.

